

YEAR 6.5 WELCOME PACK





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Arbor

At Summerhill we use Arbor to track many aspects of your child's time at school. Via the Parent Portal you can view your child's basic details, timetable, attendance and behaviour statistics, termly reports and receive notifications regarding detentions, update information on your child's profile and much more! You will receive an email inviting you to join Arbor. Once you have logged in please:

1. Check your child's basic details and add other required information such as Name, Gender, Address, Ethnicity, Country of Birth
2. Add a minimum of two priority contacts
3. Add meal and travel arrangements
4. Add Medical details (GP and any medical conditions)
5. Update the Consents

Further information to follow



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Year 6 Induction Days and Evening



Registration

Please ensure that your child is in school around 08:30-08:40. Students should enter the school via the main Reception doors and will be directed to the main school hall. Please be considerate and patient if you use the school car park to drop off or collect.

Uniform

Students should come to school on Monday 30th June wearing their Primary School PE kit as we will be doing some house challenges. On Tuesday 1st July students will be required to come in their current Primary School uniform.

Lunchtime

Students may bring a packed lunch with them to eat at lunchtime and a snack for break time. Alternatively, they can purchase food from the café, which will be a choice of a hot meal of the day, jacket potatoes, pasta or a selection of sandwiches. Payment for the induction days will be cash, please try to send near correct change. We encourage students to carry a water bottle, which can be filled at breaktimes. We are a nut-free school so please check any food brought onsite.

End of School

Students will finish their induction days at 2:30pm and will be allowed to make their own way home. If students need to wait for a sibling to walk home, we will have a safe space in the hall to wait.

Induction Evening

The induction evening will be held on Tuesday 1st July 2025 and comprises a talk from members of the Senior Leadership Team, including the Heads of House.

The 'Welcome Talk' will be delivered twice one at 6pm and the other at 7pm which enables all parents and carers to attend. This has been arranged to give equal numbers in each session, so please do not be concerned if you hear of parents attending at a different time.

It is not necessary for students to attend these talks, as they will have received the information during their Induction Visit. We will communicate in due course which time we would like you to attend.



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Starting at Summerhill



Getting Organised

- I know what I need to take on my first day
- I have a lunch box (if needed) and a water bottle

Travelling to School

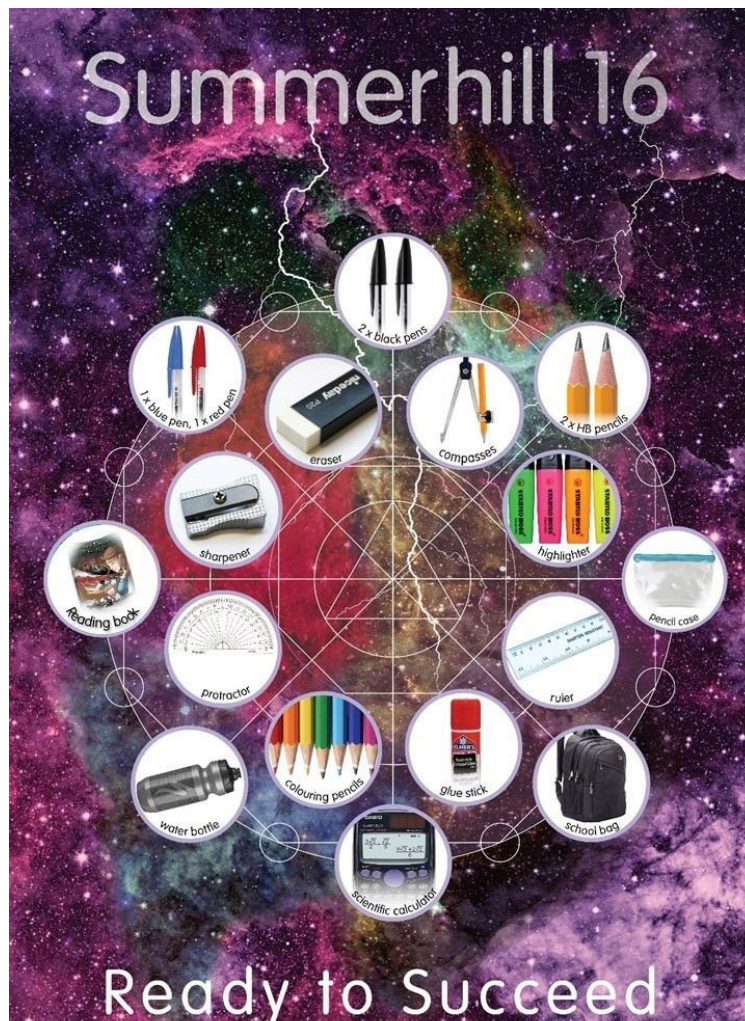
- I have practised my route to school at least once
- I know which school entrance to use
- I have a key for my front door

Homework

- I do have a space where I will be able to do my homework
- I know how to create a 'to do' list
- I have somewhere to keep my books

Getting Organised

- My school uniform is ready and laid out
- My school bag is packed
- I have a pencil case for my pens, pencil and stationery



Key Staff at Summerhill School



Mr Harris
Headteacher



Mr Cresswell
Deputy
Headteacher



Mr Randle
Deputy
Headteacher



Miss Stone
PA to the
Headteacher



Mrs Sprouting
DSL and Mental
Health Lead



Ms Gordon
Deputy DSL



Ms Barnes-Williams
Counsellor



Miss Mohammed
SENco



Mrs McGrath
Assistant SENco



Mrs Shakespeare
Restorative
Practice Manager



Miss Hope
Admin Assistant



Mr Glattback
Head of Draco



Mr Reynolds
Draco House
Officer



Mr Allen
Head of Orion



Mrs Fisher
Orion House
Officer



Mrs Stevens-Muir
Head Of Pegasus



Miss Steventon
Pegasus House
Officer



Mr Wollerton
Head of Ursa



Miss Reeves
Ursa House
Officer



Mr Bartlett
House
Championship
Co-ordinator



Mr Morgan
House
Championship
Assistant



Mr Manville
House
Championship
Assistant

School Timings for September



Time	Activity
8:40am	Registration
9:10am	Period 1
10:00am	Period 2
10:50am	Break
11:15am	Period 3
12:05pm	Period 4
12:55pm	Lunch
13:30pm	Period 5
14:20pm	Period 6
15:10pm	End of day

Term	Dates
Autumn 1	Monday 1 st September – Friday 24 th October
Autumn 2	Monday 3 rd November – Friday 19 th December
Spring 1	Monday 5 th January – Friday 13 th February
Spring 2	Monday 23 rd February- Friday 27 th March
Summer 1	Monday 13 th April- Friday 22 nd May
Summer 2	Monday 1 st June – Friday 17 th July

Inset Days

Monday 1st September 2025

Friday 28th November 2025

Monday 5th January 2026

Friday 26th June 2026

Monday 20th July 2026



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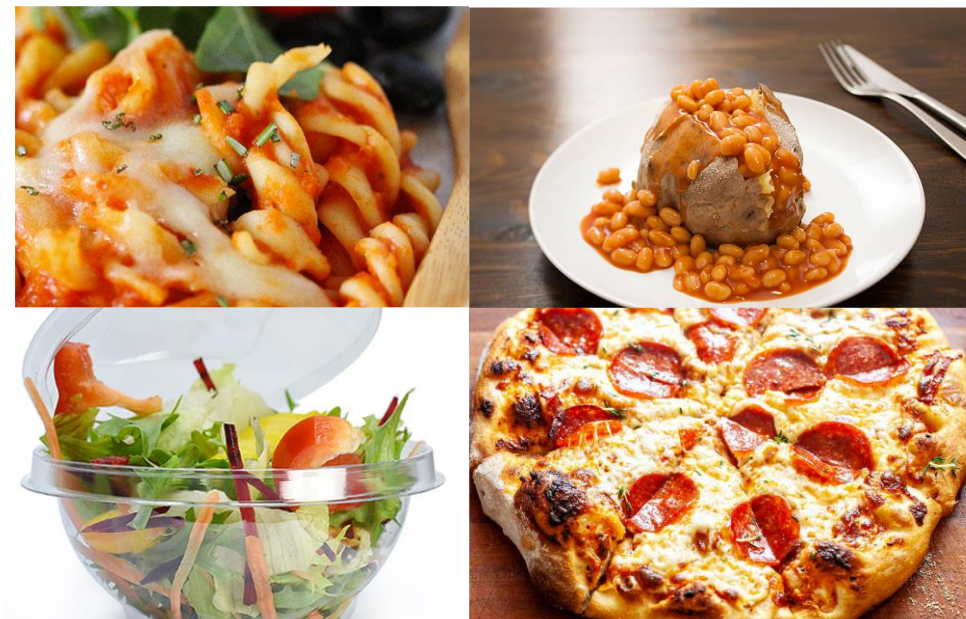
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Lunchtime Arrangements

A selection of hot and cold food are served in the Café before school, at breaktime and at lunchtime. Some items are available every day, while the hot main meal offers consistently good value with a different menu on offer throughout each week.

Once students start in Y7, they will be enrolled in our cashless payment system. On the Induction Days they will need to pay in cash. Please help us to serve students quickly by providing your child with change rather than large denomination notes. We ask students to carry a water bottle, which they can refill at break or lunchtime.



Price List

- Hot Main £2.58
- Pizza Slice £1.62
- Panini £2.58
- Pasta Pot and Sauce £1.57 / £2.35
- Jacket Potato and Filling £2.35
- Boxed Salad - £2.24
- Tray Bakes and Cookies £1.01
- Hot Main with Pudding £2.59

Summerhill School Uniform



We believe that learning the essential life skill of knowing how to dress smartly and with pride, is an important part of education. We also believe that correct equipment demonstrates organisation and readiness to learn.



- Navy blazer with House colour lining and House colour school logo
- Full length tie in House colour with fine navy and grey stripes (tie must reach waistband)
- Navy jumper with House colour trim around the neckline (jumper is optional if additional warmth is desired)
- Mid grey formal trousers or skirt*
*Skirts **must** be pleated and an appropriate length, no shorter than 6cm above the knee*
- White collared shirt that can be buttoned up to the neck and is of a length so that it is kept tucked in. Shirt must be suitable to wear with a tie *
- Black school shoes that can be polished not trainers or trainer style.
- Heels to be no higher than 4 cm *
- Black or grey tights *
- Black or grey socks (no white) *

* Parental choice of where to buy



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Price List



Items to be ordered online from School Colours Direct:

Navy blazer with House colour lining

Size 26" – 38" £41.62

Size 40" – 48" £49.95

Navy jumper with House colour v neck stripe (optional, only for additional warmth)

Size 30" £8.50

Size 32" – 38" £10.00

Size 40" – 48" £14.50

House ties

£6.78



How to Order

The above items can be ordered online via School Colours Direct. Please go to the uniform section on the school website <https://www.summerhill.dudley.sch.uk/uniform> and there will be a link taking you to the School Colours website. A sizing set of blazers and jumpers is held at Totally Uniform in Kingswinford for students to try on before ordering online. There are two delivery methods for your uniform. At an additional cost you can have it delivered to your home address. However, we have arranged free delivery to the school every second and fourth Tuesday of the month. There will also be a pre-loved store within the school for anyone who would like to enquire.



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PE Kit

- Navy PE polo shirt with House colour panels on the side
- House colour / navy reversible long sleeved PE top
- Navy PE shorts
- Navy PE socks
- Navy PE tracksuit bottoms (optional)
- Navy swimming trunks / costume
- Leggings purchased from The Sportshop only (Optional)



Items to be purchased from The Sports Shop:

- Navy PE polo shirt with House colour panels on side
Junior £16.95 Senior £17.95
- House colour / navy reversible long sleeved PE top
Junior £28.95 Senior £30.95
- Navy PE shorts
Junior £9.00 Senior £10.00

It is parental choice where all other items are purchased.



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Checklist



This checklist is to help you when purchasing your child's uniform if you would like to use it.

Please refer to the School Uniform List and How to Order form for a detailed description of each item.

House Colour			
Draco	Orion	Pegasus	Ursa

Item	Size											
Boys Blazer	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48
Girls Blazer	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48
Tie												
Jumper (optional)	30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48		

Parental choice where to buy		The Sports Shop	
Grey skirt or trousers		Navy polo shirts with house colour panels	
White shirt		House colour / navy reversable top	
Black shoes		Navy shorts	
Grey or black tights			
Grey or black socks			
Trainers			
Studded football boots			
Navy PE socks			
Navy tracksuit bottoms (optional)			
Navy swimming costume/trunks			



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Year 6.5 - Destination Summerhill Sept 2025



Info #02

Parents receive formal
 Summerhill information pack
 Wk commencing – 24th March

Arbor #04

Parents to
 complete Microsoft form
 by 30th April

Coffee #06

SEND coffee
 morning 25th June
 9.15am-10.45am

Summer Holidays #08

Finish Primary School and
 enjoy Summer Holidays



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Welcome #01

Students receive
 Summerhill welcome
 letter 3rd March



Primary #03

Transition and
 information sharing
 with Primary Schools
 begins 24th March



Visit #05

Summerhill visits to
 Primary Schools
 begins 17th May



Induction #07

Induction Days 30th June/1st July.
 House and form tutor reveal.
 Year 6.5 disco
 30th June
 Induction Evening 1st July



Start School #09

Day 1- Welcome to
 Summerhill
 2nd September

